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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

10 KENNETH AMMONS,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 SCOTT LIGHT, *et al.*,

14 Defendants.
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CASE NO. 3:19-cv-5028-RBL-JRC

ORDER DIRECTING
DEFENDANTS TO PROVIDE
ADDRESS UNDER SEAL

16 The District Court has referred this 42 U.S.C. § 1983 civil rights action to United States
17 Magistrate Judge J. Richard Creatura. *See* Dkt. 2. Plaintiff is proceeding *pro se* and *in forma*
18 *pauperis*. *See* Dkt. 5.

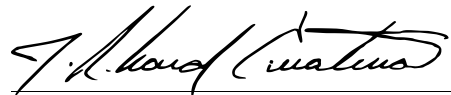
19 On April 18, 2019, the undersigned directed service of the amended complaint on
20 defendants by e-mail. Dkt. 9. Although the deadline in which to file a service waiver has
21 passed, defendant Luciano Figueroa, whom plaintiff identifies as someone who allegedly
22 “performed X-rays” (Dkt. 8, at 4), has not filed a service waiver or taken any other action in this
23 matter. The Court notes that plaintiff gave the same address for defendant Figueroa as for other
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1 defendants—Stafford Creek Corrections Center. *See* Dkt. 6, at 26. The Court further notes that
2 it has already ordered defendants to provide the last known addresses under seal for individual
3 defendants who performed x-rays. *See* Dkt. 25.

4 Therefore, if defendants are in possession of the last known business or residential
5 addresses of defendant Figueroa, defendants are ordered to submit such address(es) to the Court
6 **under seal on or before June 21, 2019**, so that the Clerk may attempt to effect service by mail.

7 This solution alleviates two concerns involving prisoner litigation: (1) the security risks
8 inherent in providing prisoners with addresses of people formerly employed by the state, and (2)
9 the reality of prisoners getting the “runaround” when they are attempting to access information
10 through the government. *See Sellers v. United States*, 902 F.2d 598, 602–603 (7th Cir. 1990).
11 Defendant Figueroa may also satisfy this order by filing a waiver and by having counsel enter a
12 notice of appearance on this defendant’s behalf. All service documents with said address(es)
13 shall also be filed under seal.

14 Dated this 5th day of June, 2019.

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17 J. Richard Creatura
18 United States Magistrate Judge
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